



ACKNIT INDUSTRIES LIMITED

**Annual Report And Accounts
2019-20**

ACKNIT INDUSTRIES LIMITED

CIN : L01113WB1990PLC050020

Annual Report 2019-20

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Mr. Shri Krishan Saraf

-Managing Director

Mr. Deo Kishan Saraf

-Whole-Time Director & Chief Financial Officer

Mrs. Rashmi Saraf

-Non-Executive Non-Independent Director

Mr. Samir Kumar Ghosh

-Independent Director

Mr. Mukul Banerjee

-Independent Director

Mr. Jadav Lal Mukherjee

-Independent Director

COMPANY SECRETARY & COMPLIANCE OFFICER

Mrs. Bandana Saha

AUDITORS

SRB & Associates

Chartered Accountants

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Bank of Baroda

HDFC Bank Ltd.

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**NOTICE OF THE 30TH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING**

NOTICE is hereby given that the 30th Annual General Meeting of ACKNIT INDUSTRIES LIMITED will be held on Sunday, the 27th day of September, 2020 at 11.00 a.m. at 'Ecostation', Bock - BP, Plot No.7, Sector V, 5th Floor, Suit No. 503, Salt Lake, Kolkata - 700091 to transact the following business:-

ORDINARY BUSINESS:**Item No.1****To consider and adopt Audited Financial Statement for the Financial Year ended 31st March, 2020**

To receive, consider and adopt the Audited Financial Statement of the Company for the Financial Year ended 31st March, 2020, together with the Reports of the Directors and Auditors thereon.

Item No. 2**To declare dividend for the Financial Year ended 31st March, 2020**

To declare dividend of Rs. 1.50 per equity shares of Rs.10 each for the Financial Year ended 31st March, 2020.

Item No. 3**To appoint a Director in place of Mr. Deo Kishan Saraf (DIN: 00128804), who retires by rotation and being eligible offers himself for re-appointment**

To consider and if thought fit to pass, with or without modification, the following resolution as an Ordinary Resolution:

"RESOLVED THAT Mr. Deo Kishan Saraf (DIN: 00128804) who retires by rotation at this Annual General Meeting be and is hereby re-appointed as a Director of the Company, liable to retire by rotation."

**By Order of the Board
For Acknit Industries Limited**

Sd/-

Bandana Saha

**Place: Kolkata Company Secretary & Compliance Officer
Date: 14-08-2020 M.No.: A46329**

Notes:

1. **A MEMBER ENTITLED TO ATTEND AND VOTE AT THE MEETING IS ALSO ENTITLED TO APPOINT A PROXY TO ATTEND AND VOTE ON POLL AT THE MEETING INSTEAD OF HIMSELF/HERSELF AND THAT A PROXY NEED NOT BE A MEMBER OF THE COMPANY. THE INSTRUMENT APPOINTING A PROXY IN ORDER TO BE EFFECTIVE MUST REACH THE REGISTERED OFFICE OF THE COMPANY NOT LESS THAN 48 HOURS BEFORE THE COMMENCEMENT OF THE MEETING.**

A person can act as proxy on behalf of members not exceeding 50(fifty) and holding in the aggregate not more than ten percent of the total share capital of the Company carrying voting rights. In case a proxy is proposed to be appointed by a member holding more than 10% of the total share capital of the Company carrying voting rights, then such proxy shall not act as a proxy for any other person or shareholder.

2. Corporate members are requested to send to the Company's registered office, a duly certified copy of board resolution authorizing their representative to attend and vote at the meeting.
3. Members/proxies/authorised representatives are requested to bring the duly filled Attendance Slip enclosed herewith to attend the meeting.
4. The Register of Members and Share Transfer Books of the Company shall remain closed from Monday, 21st September, 2020 to Sunday, 27th September, 2020 (both days inclusive) for payment of dividend on equity shares for the Financial Year ended 31st March, 2020.
5. The dividend for the Financial Year ended 31st March, 2020, as recommended by the Board of Directors, if declared at the ensuing Annual General meeting, will be credited within 30 days from the date of declaration to those shareholders whose names appear in the register of members/statement of beneficial ownership furnished by the depositories as on the close of business hours on Sunday, 20th September, 2020 and whose Bank Account details has been updated with Depositories and Registrars. In view of the ongoing novel Coronavirus pandemic ('COVID-19') in the Country and pursuant to SEBI circular



dated 12th May 2020, the requirement of sending dividend warrant / draft will apply upon normalization of postal services.

Shareholders are requested to provide bank details to facilitate payment of dividend, etc., either in electronic mode or for printing on the payment instruments in compliance with SEBI circular no. SEBI/HO/MIRSD/DOP1/CIR/P/2018/73 dated 20th April, 2018.

6. Members desirous of asking any questions at the 30th AGM are requested to write to the Company at least 10 days in advance, so as to enable the management to keep the information ready at the meeting.

7. Details of Directors seeking appointment or re-appointment as required under Regulation 36(3) of SEBI (Listing Obligations & Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 (Listing Regulations):

Mr. Deo Kishan Saraf (DIN: 00128804) aged about 54 years is an industrialist having rich business experience in this sector. He is the founding promoter of Acknit Industries Limited. Presently, he is the Whole-time Director and Chief Financial Officer of Acknit Industries Limited. Mr. Deo Kishan Saraf holds 228532 (Nos.) (7.52%) equity shares of the Company. He is not a director in any other listed entity & accordingly does not have any membership of any Board committee of the listed entity.

Mr. Deo Kishan Saraf is the younger brother of Mr. Shri Krishan Saraf. Except Mr. Deo Kishan Saraf and Mr. Shri Krishan Saraf, none of the Directors and Key Managerial Personnel of the Company and their relatives are concerned or interested, financially or otherwise in this item.

8. The Securities and Exchange Board of India (SEBI) has mandated the submission of the Permanent Accounts Number (PAN) by every participant in the securities market. Members holding shares in electronic form are, therefore, requested to submit their PAN to their Depository Participant(s). Members holding shares in physical form shall submit their PAN details to the Company.

9. Those members who have so far not en-cashed their dividend warrants/draft for the below mentioned financial years, may claim or approach the Company for the payment thereof as the same will become due to be transferred to the "Investor Education and Protection Fund" of the Central Government pursuant to section 125 of the Companies Act, 2013 (or section 205C of the Companies Act, 1956) on the respective dates mentioned there against. Kindly note that after such transfer, the members will not be entitled to claim such dividend from the Company.

Financial year ended	Last date of claiming unpaid dividend
31.03.2013	27.10.2020
31.03.2014	15.10.2021
31.03.2015	27.10.2022
31.03.2016	01.11.2023
31.03.2017	22.10.2024
31.03.2018	30.10.2025
31.03.2019	24.10.2026

10. The Company has implemented the "GREEN INITIATIVE" as per circular nos. 17/2011 dated 21st April, 2011 and 18/2011 dated 29th April, 2011 issued by the Ministry of Corporate Affairs (MCA) by allowing paperless compliances by the Companies for service of documents to their members through electronic mode, which will be in compliance with section 20 of the Companies Act, 2013. Henceforth, the e-mail addresses indicated in your respective depository participant accounts which will be periodically downloaded from NSDL/CDSL will be deemed to be your registered e-mail address for serving notices/documents etc. In view of the above, the Company has already dispatched the written communication to its members on 21st April, 2014 requesting them to register their designated e-mail ID. However, members who wish to receive physical copy of the Notices, Annual Reports and other documents may forward their written requests to the Company for the same.

11. Electronic copy of the Annual Report for the Financial Year 2019-20 along with the notice of the Annual General Meeting of the Company inter alia indicating the process and manner of e-voting along with Attendance Slip and



Proxy Form is being sent to all the members whose e-mail IDs are registered with the Company/Depository Participants for communication purpose unless any member has requested for a hard copy of the same. For members who have not registered their e-mail address, physical copies of the Annual Report for the Financial Year 2019-20 is being sent in the permitted mode.

12. The Notice of Annual General Meeting and the copies of Directors' Report, Audited Financial Statement, Auditors' Report etc. will also be displayed on the website of the Company : www.acknitindia.com and may be accessed by the members.
13. Documents referred to in the Notice are available for inspection by the members at the registered office of the Company during business hours on any working day up to the date of Annual General Meeting of the Company, with prior appointment.

Information and other instructions relating to e-voting are as under :

1. In compliance with Section 108 of the Companies Act, 2013 read with Rule 20 of the Companies (Management and Administration) Rules, 2014, as amended by the Companies (Management and Administration) Amendment Rules, 2015 and Regulation 44 of the SEBI (Listing Obligations and Disclosure Requirements) Regulations, 2015 and the Secretarial Standard on General Meetings (SS2) issued by the Institute of Companies Secretaries of India, the Company is pleased to provide to its members facility to exercise their right to vote on resolutions proposed to be considered at the Annual General Meeting by electronic means and the business may be transacted through e-voting services arranged by National Securities Depository Limited ("NSDL"). The Members may cast their votes using an electronic voting system from a place other than the venue of the Annual General Meeting ("remote e-voting"). Instructions for e-voting are given herein below.
2. The facility for voting through ballot paper shall be made available at the Annual General Meeting and the Members

attending the meeting who have not cast their vote by remote e-voting shall be able to exercise their right to vote at the meeting.

3. The Members who have cast their vote by remote e-voting prior to the Annual General Meeting may also attend the meeting but shall not be entitled to cast their vote again.

The procedure to login to e-Voting website consists of two steps as detailed hereunder:

Step 1: Log-in to NSDL e-Voting system

1. Visit the e-Voting website of NSDL. Open web browser by typing the following URL: <https://www.evoting.nsdl.com/>.
2. Once the home page of e-Voting system is launched, click on the icon "Login" which is available under 'Shareholders' section.
3. A new screen will open. You will have to enter your User ID, your Password and a Verification Code as shown on the screen. Alternatively, if you are registered for NSDL eservices i.e. IDEAS, you can log-in at <https://eservices.nsdl.com/> with your existing IDEAS login. Once you log-in to NSDL eservices after using your log-in credentials, click on e-Voting and you can proceed to Step 2 i.e. Cast your vote electronically.
4. Your User ID details will be as per details given below :
 - a) **For Members who hold shares in demat account with NSDL:** 8 Character DP ID followed by 8 Digit Client ID (For example if your DP ID is IN300*** and Client ID is 12***** then your user ID is IN300***12*****).
 - b) **For Members who hold shares in demat account with CDSL:** 16 Digit Beneficiary ID (For example if your Beneficiary ID is 12***** then your user ID is 12*****).
 - c) **For Members holding shares in Physical Form:** EVEN Number followed by Folio Number registered with the company (For example if folio number is 001*** and EVEN is 101456 then user ID is 101456001***).



5. Your password details are given below:
 - a. If you are already registered for e-Voting, then you can use your existing password to login and cast your vote.
 - b. If you are using NSDL e-Voting system for the first time, you will need to retrieve the 'initial password' which was communicated to you. Once you retrieve your 'initial password', you need enter the 'initial password' and the system will force you to change your password.
 - c. How to retrieve your 'initial password'?
 - i. If your email ID is registered in your demat account or with the company, your 'initial password' is communicated to you on your email ID. Trace the email sent to you from NSDL from your mailbox. Open the email and open the attachment i.e. a .pdf file. Open the .pdf file. The password to open the .pdf file is your 8 digit client ID for NSDL account, last 8 digits of client ID for CDSL account or folio number for shares held in physical form. The .pdf file contains your 'User ID' and your 'initial password'.
 - ii. If your email ID is not registered, your 'initial password' is communicated to you on your postal address.
 6. If you are unable to retrieve or have not received the "Initial password" or have forgotten your password:
 - a. Click on "Forgot User Details/Password?"(If you are holding shares in your demat account with NSDL or CDSL) option available on www.evoting.nsdl.com.
 - b. "Physical User Reset Password?" (If you are holding shares in physical mode) option available on www.evoting.nsdl.com.
 - c. If you are still unable to get the password by aforesaid two options, you can send a request at evoting@nsdl.co.in mentioning your demat account number/folio number, your PAN, your name and your registered address.
 - d. Members can also use the OTP (One Time Password) based login for casting the votes on the e-Voting system of NSDL.
 7. After entering your password, tick on Agree to "Terms and Conditions" by selecting on the check box.
 8. Now, you will have to click on "Login" button.
 9. After you click on the "Login" button, Home page of e-Voting will open.
- Step 2 : Cast your vote electronically on NSDL e-Voting system.**
1. After successful login at Step 1, you will be able to see the Home page of e-Voting. Click on e-Voting. Then, click on Active Voting Cycles.
 2. After click on Active Voting Cycles, you will be able to see all the companies "EVEN" in which you are holding shares and whose voting cycle is in active status.
 3. Select "EVEN" of the Company.
 4. Now you are ready for e-Voting as the Voting page opens.
 5. Cast your vote by selecting appropriate options i.e. assent or dissent, verify/modify the number of shares for which you wish to cast your vote and click on "Submit" and also "Confirm" when prompted.
 6. Upon confirmation, the message "Vote cast successfully" will be displayed.
 7. You can also take the printout of the votes cast by you by clicking on the print option on the confirmation page.
 8. Once you confirm your vote on the resolution, you will not be allowed to modify your vote.
- Other Instructions:**
1. Institutional shareholders (i.e. other than individuals, HUF, NRI etc.) are required to send scanned copy (PDF/JPG Format) of the relevant Board Resolution/ Authority letter etc. with attested specimen signature of the duly authorised signatory(ies) who are authorised to vote, to the Scrutinizer by e-mail to rrekha1410@gmail.com with a copy marked to evoting@nsdl.co.in.
 2. It is strongly recommended not to share your password with any other person and take utmost care to keep your password confidential. Login to the e-voting website will be disabled upon five unsuccessful attempts to key in the



- correct password. In such an event, you will need to go through the "Forgot User Details/Password?" or "Physical User Reset Password?" option available on www.evoting.nsdl.com to reset the password.
3. In case of any queries, you may refer the Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs) for Shareholders and e-voting user manual for Shareholders available at the download section of www.evoting.nsdl.com or call on toll free no.: 1800-222-990 or send a request at evoting@nsdl.co.in
 4. The remote e-voting period commences on Thursday, 24th September, 2020 (09.00 a.m. IST) and ends on Saturday, 26th September, 2020 (05.00 p.m. IST). During this period, members of the Company, holding shares either in physical form or in dematerialised form, as on the cut-off date Sunday, 20th September, 2020 may cast their vote by remote e-voting. The remote e-voting module shall be disabled by NSDL for voting thereafter. Once the vote on a resolution is cast by the member, the member shall not be allowed to change it subsequently.
 5. You can also update your mobile number and e-mail address in the user profile details of the folio which may be used for sending future communication(s).
 6. The voting rights of Members shall be in proportion to their share of the paid up equity share capital of the Company as per the Register of Members of the Company on Sunday, 20th September, 2020.
 7. Any person, who acquires shares of the Company and becomes a member of the Company after dispatch of the Notice of Annual General Meeting and holding shares as on the cut-off date, i.e., Sunday, 20th September, 2020, may obtain the login ID and password by sending a request at evoting@nsdl.co.in. However, if you are already registered with NSDL for remote e-voting then you can use your existing user ID and password for casting your vote. If you forgot your password, you can reset your password by using "Forgot User Details/Password" option available on www.evoting.nsdl.com.
 8. A person, whose name is recorded in the Register of Members or in the register of beneficial owners maintained by the depositories as on the cut-off date only shall be entitled to avail the facility of voting, either through remote e-voting or voting at the Annual General Meeting through ballot paper.
 9. Ms. Rekha Goenka, Practicing Company Secretary (Membership No. ACS-17805), has been appointed as the Scrutinizer to scrutinize the remote e-voting process as well as voting at the Annual General Meeting in a fair and transparent manner.
 10. At the Annual General Meeting, at the end of the discussion of the resolutions on which voting is to be held, the Chairman shall with the assistance of the Scrutinizer order voting for all those members who are present but have not cast their vote electronically using the remote e-voting facility.
 11. The Scrutinizer shall immediately after the conclusion of voting at the Annual General Meeting, first count the votes at the Annual General Meeting, thereafter unblock the votes cast through remote e-voting in the presence of atleast two witnesses not in the employment of the Company and submit not later than 48 hours of conclusion of the meeting, a consolidated Scrutinizer's Report of the total votes cast in favour or against, if any, to the Chairman or a person authorised by him in writing who shall countersign the same.
 12. The Chairman or a person authorised by him in writing shall declare the result of voting forthwith.
 13. The results declared along with the Scrutinizer's Report shall be placed on the Company's website www.acknitindia.com and on the website of NSDL www.evoting.nsdl.com immediately after the result is declared by the Chairman or any other person authorised by the Chairman and the same shall be communicated to The BSE Ltd. and The Calcutta Stock Exchange Ltd.(CSE), where the shares of the Company are listed. The results shall also be displayed on the notice board at the Registered Office of the Company.

**By Order of the Board
For Acknit Industries Limited**

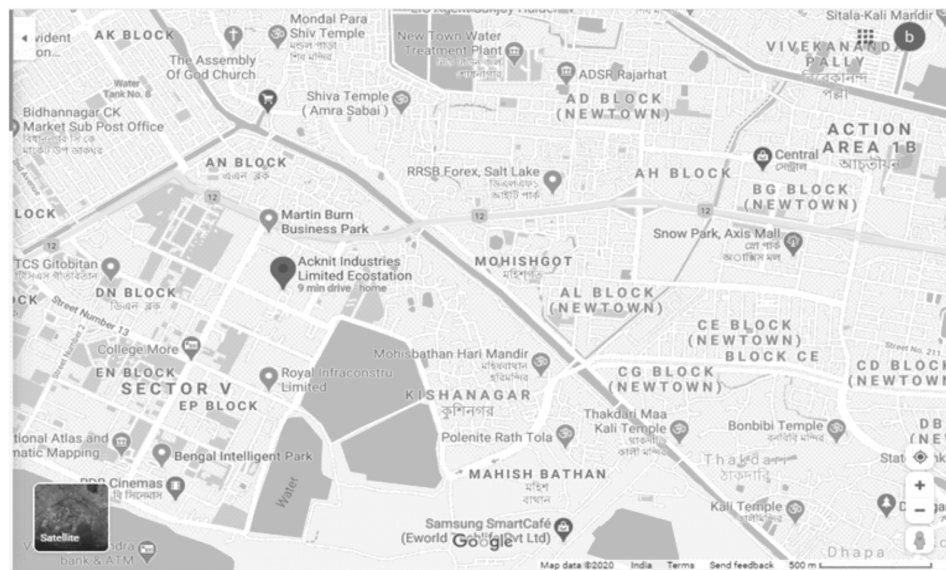
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Bandana Saha

Place: Kolkata
Date: 14-08-2020

**Company Secretary & Compliance Officer
M.No.: A46329**

ROUTE MAP



**DIRECTORS' REPORT**

Dear Shareholders,

Your Directors have pleasure in presenting the 30th Annual Report of the Company for the Financial Year ended 31st March, 2020.

FINANCIAL RESULTS

The summarized results of your Company are given in the table below:

(₹ in Lakhs)

Particulars	Financial Year Ended 31.03.2020	Financial Year Ended 31.03.2019
Gross Revenue	17146.00	17378.61
Other Income	144.40	508.08
Total Revenue	17290.40	17886.69
Less: Total Expenditure	16021.55	16571.20
Gross Profit (before Depreciation & Finance Cost)	1268.85	1315.49
Less: Depreciation	249.43	226.91
: Finance Cost	459.01	498.32
Profit Before Tax (PBT)	560.41	590.26
Less: Provision for Income Tax	141.93	128.64
: Deferred Tax	(18.29)	(6.64)
Profit after Tax (PAT)	436.77	468.26
Other Comprehensive Income net of tax	(13.97)	(42.79)
Total Comprehensive Income	422.80	425.47
Balance B/F	209.40	188.90
Balance available for appropriation	632.20	614.37
Less: Dividend & Dividend Tax	54.97	54.97
Less: Transfer to General Reserve	350.00	350.00
Balance transfer to Balance Sheet	227.23	209.40

SUMMARY OF OPERATION

During the financial year total revenue income was marginally reduced from Rs.17,886.69 Lakhs to Rs.17,290.40 Lakhs i.e. by Rs.596.29 Lakhs equivalent to a reduction of above 3.3% over the previous year. PAT for the Financial Year 2019-20 was Rs.436.77 Lakhs as against Rs.468.26 Lakhs in the previous Financial Year 2018-19. The Total compressive income for the year was reduced to Rs.422.80 Lakhs as against Rs.425.47 Lakhs in the previous year end.

SEGMENT-WISE PERFORMANCE

The Company's manufacturing and business activities are broadly divided into four (4) distinct segments. They are -

1. Manufacturing of Hand Gloves of various materials and diverse qualities for industrial safety modules for both export and domestic markets;
2. Manufacturing of both industrial safety garments and fashionable kids wear in bulk for both export as well as for domestic markets;

3. Power generation by operation of wind mills to supply on commercial base; and
4. Procurement, part processing and supply of non-conventional industrial safety gears in domestic market and in export.

Hand Gloves :

This is the oldest segment with which the Company commenced its journey of Business operations and it is still the main Revenue earner for the Company. In the year under review, the total Revenue receipt from this segment was Rs.10,456.70 Lakhs as against Rs.11,817.86 Lakhs in the previous year. Had there been no CORONA pandemic affecting the global economy and shortfall in exports caused, during the close of the financial year there would have been no reduction in revenue income. Yet because of effective handling of operations the segment surplus could be increased from Rs.1163.02 Lakhs to Rs.1268.89 Lakhs.

Garment :

This segment dealing mostly in domestic market remained unaffected by sudden CORONA break out and registered the usual growth in revenue earnings from Rs.5441.54 Lakhs to Rs.6542.87 Lakhs with surplus being increased from Rs.163.91 Lakhs to Rs.181.83 Lakhs.

Power Generation :

Because of unilateral cut down in purchase per unit of power by the sale recipient Government of Maharashtra revenue income from this segment was drastically reduced from Rs.119.21 Lakhs to Rs.57.72 Lakhs resulting in a cut down of surplus earnings from Rs.74.67 lakhs to Rs.15.51 Lakhs.

However, since there has been no cost of financing operations in this sector and the entire surplus earned goes to add up to the profit of the Company no serious attention had so far been given to this segment. Whereas time has now come to examine viability of continuing with this segment in future.

Others Non- Conventional Segment :

This is the newest and not properly organized segment started on a trial basis only a couple of years back with prospective risk of minimum loss. The working experience and viability study has so far revealed immense prospect in a properly organized operation of the segment. The management has accordingly decided to set up appropriate infrastructure for the segment at the right moment in the near future. The current year operation has witnessed a loss of Rs.10.36 Lakhs against revenue earning of Rs. 88.71 Lakhs as compared to 'Nil' return in the previous year.

SUBSIDIARY, JOINT VENTURE AND ASSOCIATE COMPANY

The Company does not have any Subsidiary, Joint Venture or Associate Company.

DIVIDEND

Your Directors are pleased to recommend dividend of Rs.1.50 per equity share of Rs.10 each for the Financial Year 2019-20 i.e. 15% on the paid up equity share capital of the Company. The proposed dividend is subject to approval of shareholders in the ensuing Annual General Meeting of the Company and it